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TATJANA IVANOVA.

Or Rescued from Siberia.

CHAPTER II.

After the first shock of her being discovered Tatjana turned away from the sleeping form of the Czar, and dropping the dagger stood with bowed head before her accuser in silence. In that short interval her whole past life seemed to be concentrated and she realized that the triumphs of years were about to be thrown down as so many empty air castles. For Bakunin she had risked all and at the very moment that her purpose was to be accomplished she had failed. The Grand Duke Constantine was so astounded at the fearful revelation that he could not speak for several moments, and then fearing that the Czar might awaken he motioned Tatjana to follow and they left the room, continuing silently to an ante-chamber which adjoined the large room of state. This room was dimly lighted and surrounding objects were obscure, so that Tatjana found a relief in being able to hide her misery from the Grand Duke who stood before her with folded arms as if awaiting some excuse for the terrible murder he had frustrated. Arising, Tatjana timidly approached him and looking up into his manly face with a shy, frightened glance, habitual with her when about to curry favor, she raised one of her jeweled hands to the medal on his coat and in a soft voice hardly above a whisper said: "Your Highness, I am at your mercy, I can scarcely expect you to condone my crime. Sir, it has always been said to me by those who know you best that the Grand Duke Constantine is a man among men possessing a generous forgiving nature, a man of noble impulse and endowed with all the qualities likely to win the admiration and love of any lady of rank in Russia. Knowing this I cannot hope that Tatjana Ivanova could awaken one kind thought, yet, I would tell you now when I am about to lose all that makes life bearable—it has been the one inspiration of my life to call Constantine my friend. Ah! sir, what a sad awakening is mine; Constantine is not my friend, but a foe, holding my life at his disposal."

That he was visibly affected she was certain, and with that rare tact of women of the world, she assumed a mien of injured innocence, so indescribably childlike and fascinating, that Constantine was persuaded that he was listening to the most bewitchingly beautiful woman in all Russia, and not the would-be murderer of his father. Unconsciously she came close to him and gazed into his face with those luminous eyes now glistening with tears and he seemed to see in their depths her whole heart laid bare for inspection.

His frame shook with emotion, and in that struggle between inclination and duty Constantine found one of the most irresistible temptations of his life. Tatjana had truly estimated the man she was dealing with and mentally shaped a plan for conquest, whilst outwardly she endeavored to hold him in subjection. His silence and the softened expression on his countenance was assurance that she might at least hope for mercy. There was a charm to them both in this mute appeal, she the picture of penitence and despair that elicited sincere pity—while he unconsciously displayed the struggle of a strong man yielding to the disloyal promptings of his heart.

Impulsively he caught both her hands and she noticed that he trembled with excitement.

"Princess Ivanova, my duty as a member of the royal family of Russia is to denounce you to the world as an assassin. My father, the czar of this great empire, sleeps peacefully yonder, unaware of the slight thread upon which his life has hung this night. Think, Tatjana Ivanova, how different would have been his lot had I not saved you from a crime that must now in your calm moments seem most revolting. What assurance have I that you will not attempt again to murder my father if I remain silent. Under the devilish influence of Bakunin—"

"Bakunin," she interrupted. "Yes, Bakunin; I know all. Did you think a plot so monstrous could be projected against the Empire of Russia and not be known to the authorities? Lady, give us more credit than that, and believe that there are loyal men in Russia able to cope with the daring Bakunin. Princess, you are a lovely woman; this beautiful face might have served the great Raphael as a type for his angels, so perfect is it in the expression of innocence. Did I not know that you possess a nature as dangerous and false as ever passed beyond the borders to Siberia, I might be misled by your pitiful prayer for mercy."

"Your highness has been prejudiced by some vindictive person. Surely you do not believe me capable of being so base. Why, sir, such things would be against womanly nature—"

"Enough, Tatjana. Do not add more duplicity to your crime. I am certain of what I speak. No vindictive person has misled me. What I know I have observed with my own eyes. Listen, and I will show you how impracticable your scheme must have appeared. Did you know that every detail of arrangement was watched from the time of its inception to the moment when you stood over my father with uplifted knife ready to bury it in his heart? Your first desire to effect a reconciliation with the Czar, through the intervention of my brother Alexis was indicative to your superior management and crafty disposition. Had you been sincere in this one motive, I would not have appeared as my brother's champion, but not content with infatuating Alexis to an extent that his peace of mind was threatened, you listen to the insidious scheme of Bakunin to use my brother as an unconscious means of gaining entrance to the Czar's chamber. You professed to love Alexis and persuaded him to take you clandestinely into the presence of the Czar, who persistantly refused an audience to your pleadings for favor. Let me tell you that Alexis gives me his confidence, and when he disclosed your proposition to force yourself before the Czar, and demand a hearing, I doubted the sincerity of your intentions, and caused a watch to be placed over your actions. To my consternation I was informed of your alliance with Bakunin, and the plot to murder the Czar. The rest you know. My adjutant followed Bakunin to your palace to night, and heard the daring plot, while I prevailed upon Alexis to forego the appointment, and met you myself in the garden of the hermitage. How, Princess, can you expect mercy where you gave none?"

In vain Tatjana endeavored to keep her self control, but it was too late; she saw it all now, and the hope of gaining Constantine's silence left her. With one despairing cry she flung her arms around his neck and begged piteously for him to spare her. She would leave Russia, or meet any punishment except the public disgrace of banishment. Constantine was firm now, and the thoughts of her treachery to his brother gave him strength to throw her from him. Sobbing, she sunk on the floor, and cried out for mercy. Leaving her thus the Grand Duke passed out to the main hall and gave an alarm which brought four of the Czar's guards who were placed before the door of the room in which Tatjana Ivanova remained a prisoner.

The morning came and once more the busy hum of life was taken up in St. Petersburg, and it was evident that the news of Tatjana's crime had not become public, though one man in the great city feared that ere the sun was high, a theme would be furnished the inhabitants that would strike terror to their hearts. This was Bakunin, and judiciously he remained in concealment at a small inn waiting for news. About 9 o'clock Tatjana awoke in a startled manner, and gazing at the solemn guards took in her dangerous situation at a glance. In vain she tried to plan some means of escape, but every avenue seemed closed. If Constantine would only return she would plead with him again; yet, no one of all the friends of Tatjana came to her in the hour of peril, and bitterly she bewailed the circumstances which had wrecked her life. An hour passed, when there was a movement among the guards and instinctively Tatjana neared the door and was confronted with the Grand Duke Alexis.

"Alexis!" she cried, "you have come to save me."

"To save you! Oh! Tatjana, could I believe you other than what you are, no power in Russia would keep you here. I know all your duplicity and it is a sad blow to me. Tatjana! apparently you were all that was pure and loyable, and despite my father's opposition I had hoped to gain his consent to an alliance with the house of Romanoff. When my brother told me of your love for Bukunin a schemer against the Empire, I could not believe him. Tatjana, you never cared for me; it was to use me in your daring scheme that you simulated an affection that even the most skeptical would not doubt as being the sincere reflections of a true heart. That you are a dangerous woman I am forced to believe, and while I pity you, I must concede with my brother that to allow you liberty in Russia would be to threaten the safety of the Empire."

In the wild desperation of her position she impulsively flung herself before him and clinging to his form made a prayer for forgiveness that touched his heart. "Give me one chance, just one chance, Alexis. That I have plannded with Bukunin is true, but that I loved him is false. I was ambitious, and smarting under the sting of the Czar's aversion to me, found in him a ready ally to gain my ends. Alexis, strange as it may seem, my heart was yours, and believe me I have been religiously true to that love. Do you not see what the Czar's death meant. It brought you nearer the throne and with you myself. You may think me a strange woman to advocate a plan so cruelly desperate, yet for your sake I would have braved all. Trust me yet, try my loyalty in any way you will, and I swear to you that my life, my love, shall be yours. Oh Alexis where is your heart?" Gradually she had risen and now lay sobbing in his arms. Like a man blind with love he believed her, and could not master the feelings she had drawn from him, so in one passionate moment the Grand Duke Alexis gave his word to commit the act for which history assures us he was degraded by the Czar before all Russia. To lose his love was equal to losing his life, yet he shrunk from being disloyal to his father. He was not the first man who had found the laws of a woman's eyes more powerful than the laws of state. "Take me away from here, Alexis, and command me ever after. Come, be brave, be forgiving for my sake. Why already I am light hearted, in anticipation of living for Alexis alone, you who love me would not willingly cast away our happiness. Come! love knows no law, but its own, while the world will condemn it will pity, and pity is a sure avenue to eventual forgivenness. I would have sacrificed my life for you; are you less heroic than the one you love? Come, send those guards away and we will leave the Hermitage unobserved, and no one shall ever know that Alexis saved the life of Tatjana Ivanova."

For a time she seemed to master him and every command was reluctantly obeyed. The guards were told to retire for a few moments, and hurriedly Tatjana, closely veiled, accompanied by Alexis, passed noiselessly from the room and along the corridor leading to a door that opened on the Hermitage garden. The chances of escape were few, yet the desperate situation demanded a desperate plan. Alexis knew that if they could once get outside of the gardens Tatjana would be comparatively safe for the time being. They reached the door, which was carefully opened, and Tatjana stepped out into the garden, followed by Alexis. They had not taken a dozen steps before they were terror stricken to observe the Czar and the Grand Duke Constantine approaching not twenty paces away. It was too late to turn back and there was no alternative but discovery. Constantine stepped forward quickly and exclaimed, "Alexis, who is your companion leaving the Hermitage so privately at this unseemly hour."

Before Alexis could frame a reply, there was a piercing scream and turning they saw Tatjana fall at the feet of the Czar.

He stooped over the prostrate form and loosened the veil, exposing to view the pale and beautiful face of Tatjana Ivanova.

"What," he cried in astonishment, "Alexis a traitor!"

Constantine caught the unfortunate duke by the hand, and exclaimed, "Oh, my brother! What have you done! Would you save the life of one who would murder our father! Is this the loyalty of the Grand Duke Alexis!"

"No, not the Grand Duke Alexis, for this day his treachery shall be heralded throughout Russia. Be gone, sir; you are my son no longer," and the Czar strode rapidly through the garden door. In another moment Tatjana opened her eyes and to observe that she was surrounded by the Czar's life guards.

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THE WHALE FISHERY.

The article copied into our columns from the San Francisco Bulletin recently ought to cause our people to think—and act. It was shown that over a quarter of a million dollars were netted to San Francisco the last season from the whale fishery alone, and *that* under exceptionally poor circumstances. Now there is no reason why this port should not share to a large extent in this source of wealth. We have the vessels and apparatus and the capital to back them, and it seems a pity that we should, of our own volition, let the golden opportunity go by.

one who has lived for any length of time in San Francisco and has seen the great fishing wealth annually pouring in, the apathy in this city, so highly favored in all respects, is quite unaccountable. That there is a fine field for those who are willing to take time by the forelock goes without saying, and we shall be surprised indeed if a number of vessels do not leave the harbor next year for the Arctic. Indeed our advices are to the effect that the matter is now receiving considerable attention in business circles, and we have been informed that one firm at least intends to make the venture. That it will be successful there is little doubt, and as little that the example set will be speedily followed by many others. There is no reason why we should not have our fair share of this whale trade. It is a lucrative one, and has amassed fortunes for those who have entered upon it in San Francisco. The failures have been few and have been due entirely to extraneous circumstances. We trust, then, to see Victoria sending out such a fleet next season as will comport with her dignity of being the fourth maritime port of the Dominion.

A REMARKABLE CAREER.

The life of Capt. Nathaniel Atwood, who has just died at Provincetown at an advanced age, affords one of the most remarkable instances on record of what can be accomplished by intelligent and persevering effort in the face of the most adverse and discouraging circumstances. He possessed a natural thirst after knowledge, but before reaching his teens was obliged to go to work with his father. The total period of his attendance at school was only three weeks. His father was unable to read, but gave his son a few lessons in simple arithmetic, the figures being traced on the smooth sand of the beach. At the age of thirteen the boy was shipped as cook on a fishing vessel bound on a voyage to Labrador. He made similar voyages for a period of three years, and then shipped on a vessel bound to the Grand Banks. After making a number of voyages as a fisherman he worked his way up to the position of master, and was employed for some time in the fishing coasting trade. Finally he dropped coasting and pursued the calling of fisherman until he reached the age of sixty years. Under these circumstances, and commencing with his apprenticeship to the fishing business, Capt. Atwood, by sheer force of native ability and desire for improvement, acquired an amount of learning and a knowledge of natural history, especially in connection with the internal and external structure of fish, their food and habits, which gave him a high reputation as an icthyologist in America and a recognized standing among scientific men in Europe. The elements which contributed to his success were the possession of rare habits of observation, a retentive memory and a temper favorable to study and investigation. The late Louis Agassiz was so impressed with the value of Captain Atwood's contributions to scientific observation that in 1852 he paid him a visit at his home, when an acquaintance was formed which ripened into a lifelong friendship. At Mr. Agassiz's suggestion Capt. Atwood was employed to deliver a course of lectures on food fishes before the Lowell institute at Boston, which proved very popular, and drew crowded audiences each night. Subsequently he lectured on the same subject in other town and cities. He was chosen a member of the Boston society of natural history, of the institute of technology of Boston, and of other scientific societies and institutes. There are other instances in which equal success has been attained under circumstances equally discouraging, but they are so rare as to make Capt. Atwood's life worthy of more than a passing note.

THE MARKET BYLAW.

During the absence of the Mayor and Councillor Higgins at the east the market bylaw lapsed; but it is not, as some persons affect to believe, dead. It will be revived at the next meeting of the council, and after having passed through the required stages will be submitted to the ratepayers—probably on the same day as the sewerage bylaw. The bylaw asks for authority to raise a loan of $25,000 for the purpose of establishing a public market in the city of Victoria. The bylaw passed its first reading unanimously and will, it is believed, meet with the hearty endorsement of the ratepayers.

GOODWIN & JORDAN, Piano manufacturers, tuning and repairing. FACTORY, CORMORANT street, between Douglas and Blanchard. First-class work only. Telephone, 98; P. O. Box, 423. 1m

CUNARD, Inman, Star, Allan, Anchor, Dominion and other Atlantic S. S. passages for sale by D. R. MUNRO, passenger agent, C. P. Railway, Wharf street. 1m

NEW ENGLAND BAKERY.—Bread, cakes, pies and pastry of all kinds, fresh oysters by the bottle or sack, promptly delivered to all parts of the city.—YOUNG BROS., Government street. *

FINE VIEWS.—Everyone should purchase a set of R. Maynard's photo's taken along the C.P.R. and Island railway. 1m

BY ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH.

EXCLUSIVE DISPATCHES TO THE COLONIST.

CABLE NEWS.

Immense Train Robbery in Europe.

Lively Debate in the French Chamber of Deputies.

Nationalist Members Prohibited From Speaking in Sligo.

The Hungarian Delegation Approves the Army, Budget and Credit.

FRANCE.

PARIS, Nov. 27.—In the French chamber the premier said France must not entirely abdicate her position as a great power. She must prevent the dismemberment of the Ottoman empire and must not admit that any power may take possession of Egypt. (Repeated applause.) M. DeFreycinet said the Suez canal question would soon be settled in a satisfactory manner. Referring to the Colonial subject he said, France must content herself with organizing her present colonial possessions. The general policy of the government comprised prudence and firmness. M. DeChelin moved the rejection of the sum asked for to maintain an embassy at the vatican. M. De Freycinet opposed the motion, dwelling on the practical usefulness of the embassy. "France," he said, "having a concordat with the vatican, by which she was charged with protecting the Catholic missions in the east which were rendering important services to the country, could not afford to dispense with the embassy." The sum asked for was granted, the vote standing 291 against 278. The members of the extreme left hailed the narrowness of the majority with applause. M. De La Forse moved to suppress the credits for extraordinary missions entrusted to the members of the chamber. M. De Freycinet considered the amendment partook of the nature of censure. The amendment was rejected by a vote of 313 to 185. After 17 votes had been had on the amendment the foreign budget was passed without opposition.

HUNGARY.

PESTH, Nov. 27,—The Hungarian delegation to-day voted a credit for repeating rifles for the army without debate, and approved of the army budget and credit for the occupied provinces.

IRELAND.

DUBLIN, Nov. 27.—Messrs. O'Brien, O'Kelly, and McDonald, nationalist members of parliament, arrived to-day in Sligo. Great crowds had assembled at the railway station to greet them. The authorities would not allow the commoners to address the people, and the police cleared the streets amid much excitement.

BELGIUM.

BRUSSELS, Nov. 27.—Twenty-two sacks containing mails from England to Germany, Russia, Austria and the east while in transit on the train to Belgium, to-day were cut open and plundered. All registered letters, and all other letters were untouched. The robbery was discovered upon the arrival of the train at the Ostend express at Verviers. The letters from America, containing money and diamonds to the amount of £40,000 were stolen. It is supposed the authors of the robbery are thieves who were implicated in the recent thefts of the English mail.

AMERICAN NEWS.

Tried to Blow His Brains Out in His Cell.

Two "Bug-Eyes" Capsized With Heavy Loss of Life.

Cut His Throat With a Razor While Despondent.

Suspicion Points to the Fiendish Murder of the Poe Household.

Boston the Principle Winter Terminus of the C. P. R.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 27.—The Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe railway company practically announces that it has decided upon its extension to Chicago, and that it will commence operation at an early day.

Frank Davis, of San Mateo jail, arrested for grand larceny, tried to blow his brains out in his cell yesterday. He was placed in a straight jacket. Since the execution of Tong Ah Sing he has shown signs of insanity and imagines the sheriff is making preparations to hang him.

Davis died this afternoon from concussion of the brain.

Wm. Faas, a despondent cabinet maker, committed suicide last night by hanging himself at his residence. He was 55 years of age.

John Buzz, a young Englishman, miner by occupation, committed suicide in his room at the New Wisconsin hotel by cutting his throat with a razor. The act was probably committed during a fit of despondency, caused by ill-health.

It was expected the case of Alex. Goldenson, the murderer of Mamie Kelly would come up to-day on motion for a change of venue, but defendant's counsel did not appear. The case is set for trial for one week from Monday next.

R. Porter Ashes' racing stable, consisting of six horses was sold to-day at the Bay District Park. Guenn went to Haggin for $5000; Binnett to Claypate $2500; the remaining horses brought $2200.

One of the greatest trotting matches that ever occurred on this coast took place at the Bay District park to-day. It is estimated nearly 10,000 people were present. The match was for a purse of $5000; $3000 to first horse, $1500 to second, and $500 to third. The following horses started: Harry Wilkes, Guy Wilkes, Arab, Antevolo and Charlie Hilton. Coming down the home stretch in the first heat, Harry jogged in an easy winner, Guy second, and Antevolo a good third. Time 2:15¾. Arab went lame and was withdrawn after this heat. Harry won the second heat by half a length, Guy second, Antevolo third. Time 2:16¼. After this heat it was considered almost certain Harry would win and no pools sold. When the three quarters Guy was still six lengths in the van, while Harry was now second. Harry, seeing there was no show for this heat, made no effort. Guy came in an easy winner by six lengths; Harry second; Antevolo third. Time 2:16¾. The enthusiasm that prevailed now knew no bounds. The spectators in the grand stand cheered loudly, where the ladies were seen to jump up in their seats and wave their handketchiefs wildly. They got off to a fair start. On the first turn Harry took the pole and was leading Guy by two lengths at the quarter, Antevolo third. At the half the positions were unchanged, and when the three-quarters was reached Harry han increased his lead to three lengths. The race was all over now, and Harry Wilkes crossed the wire first by three lengths, Guy second, Antevolo third; Hilton last. Time 2:15.

NEW YORK, Nov. 27.—Henry H. Stanley, African explorer, is in New York, having arrived last night. He comes here for the purpose of lecturing on Africa. He speaks very glowingly of the rich resources of the Congo free states and says that if the Belgian syndicate carries out its project to build a railway from a point 110 miles up from the mouth of the Congo for a distance of 230 miles alongside the numerous cataracts to Stanley-pool, the future of that dark country will be an immense one, as that railway would place the upper Congo in direct communication with all countries. But, he adds, without this railway the Congo might as well be in the moon for all the benefit the white man can derive from it. He says the natives are a peaceful and honorable nation.

BOSTON, Nov. 27.—A special from Ottawa says: General Manager Van Horne of the Canadian Pacific Railway, says he has concluded arrangements with the Boston and Lowell to reach Boston, which will be made the principal winter terminus of his road. The papers will be signed early next week. Connection from Montreal will be made with the Newport and Vermont over the south-eastern road, thence Woodsville, N. H. over the Lowell road.

BALTIMORE, Nov. 27.—Capt. Veazey, of the steamboat Enoch Pratt, which arrived this morning, reports that during the storm on Thursday night two "bug eyes" engaged in oyster catching in the mouth of the Manolkin river, were capsized and all hands drowned, except the captain of one boat. Capt. Veasey also reported that on Thursday afternoon at 10 o'clock, in the Hoga river a "bug eye" R. J. Smith, and the sloop California were both capsized by a gale. It is probable that other disasters will be reported as many oyster boats were exposed to the unusually severe gale.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Nov. 27.—A Courier Journal special says: As developments are made the Knox County, K., affair grows in horror. It is undoubtedly true that Mrs. Poe and her two lady guests were raped, and together with five children were murdered and then burned up in the house. The devils who did it are not positively known, though suspicion rests on one John Warm and his alleged wife who were neighbors of Poes.

SOUTH AMERICA.

BUENOS AYRES, Nov. 27.—Cholera in Rosario creates great alarm. Yesterday there were 72 new cases; 37 deaths. At Cordova, seven new cases are reported to-day.

LATE DISPATCHES.

Lord Colin's Side of the Cause Celebre.

The Lord Lieutenant Proclaims the Sligo Meeting.

Prince Ferdinand Heir to the Roumanian Throne.

ENGLAND.

LONDON, Nov. 23.—Mrs. Mildred Adams has instituted an action for slander against her father, Lord Chief Justice Coleridge, because of his statement justifying his conduct towards her husband, Charles W. Adams, that the latter had managed to induce her to assume improper relations with him before marriage in order to secure her hand and fortune.

In the Campbell divorce case plaintiff's counsel closed her side of the case to-day. Lady Miles was cross-examined. She said she was not aware that a cabman bearing a letter from the Duke of Marlborough once entered Lady Campbell's bed-room, and the cabman might, witness thought, have handed Lady Campbell a letter indoors instead of through the servant and might have received from her a reply direct, because under the circumstances in which she was placed Lady Campbell might have suspected her servants, especially her husband's nurse, and was afraid to entrust them with any correspondence. At this point, certain letters written by the witness to defendant were produced and she was asked if they were hers; she said they were, and added when she wrote them she thought she was writing to a man of honor, and not to such a man as Lord Colin Campbell had turned out to be, and she still thought a woman's letters should be sacred. (Applause.) Mrs. Duffy, Lord Campbell's nurse, Lady Miles continued, invented the story that Lady Campbell had miscarried. The invention was made to conceal the real nature of Campbell's affliction. Lord Colin had told witness that he was endeavoring to obtain all the information he could against his wife in order to sue her for a divorce, and had subsequently told witness that he had failed to obtain any. Mr. Russell, plaintiff's counsel, corrected his opening statement by adding to it that Lady Campbell, when she married the defendant, brought him a fortune of $300,000. Russell then gave notice that the plaintiff's case was closed. Robert Ballentyne Finlay opened the case for the defence. He said it afforded an inexpressible relief to Lord Colin to have an opportunity to defend himself in open court from the press and cruel imputations which have been put upon him and from the charge of adultery which have been trumped up to his injury. The malady from which the defendant was suffering was not of the nature stated, although the result of youthful indiscretion. Lady Campbell's mother had been told the nature of the defendant's ailment before the marriage, but she, nevertheless, urged on the union, saying that her daughter was willing to act merely as nurse to her husband. She even wrote to the Duke of Argyll to press upon him the fulfilment of the engagement. The marriage was authorized by the family physician, who said it was desirable that the defendant should have a marriage relationship with the plaintiff. During the season of 1882, the Duke of Marlborough, who had been corresponding with her, was afterwards seen in Lady Campbell's company. They visited Leigh court at the same time, and their bedrooms there adjoined. Doubtless, Mr. Finlay continued, Lord Marlborough and Lady Campbell were criminally intimate, if they had not been before. After this Lady Campbell went to Paris and on this journey she was chaperoned by Lady Miles. They remained in Paris one month, the Duke of Marlborough being there also. When Lady Campbell returned from Paris she sent her maid to Switzerland, evidently, as before stated, because her maid knew too much. That maid would be called by the defence and testify. On the 12th of August Lady Campbell went to Puerfleet and remained there with the Duke of Marlborough until the following Monday. Gen. Butler visited Lady Campbell during her husband's absence, and used to remain with her as long as three hours at a time. Once during these interviews some one wanted to see Lady Campbell. She came out of her room with her hair disarranged and said "not at home" and returned to General Butler. In the meantime Lord Colin Campbell came home unexpectedly, and while he was still in one of the rooms down stairs, General Butler slipped out on tiptoe without meeting her husband. That same evening Lady Campbell was taken ill. Lord Campbell remained in Leigh Court from August, 1882, to February, 1883, and during that time Lady Campbell went to and from London and committed adultery with Dr. Bird. Lord Campbell then knew nothing about his wife's bad conduct; but she had a guilty conscience. She got solicitor Lewis to write a letter charging Lord Campbell with giving her a loathsome disease and refusing to live with him as his wife. Lord Campbell had heard of such a charge before, and of course refused to agree that they should not live as man and wife.

The government has decided to prosecute the other nationalist leaders next week. The troops in Ireland are to be reinforced by at least 4000 men.

This is the third and last day of the Manchester November meeting. The race for the Manchester November handicap was won by Stowehead; Springfield, second; Chevalier Ginatrell Raffeal, third. There were ten starters.

IRELAND.

DUBLIN, Nov. 27.—The proclamation of the Marquis of Londonderry, lord lieutenant of Ireland, prohibiting the holding of the advertised national league meeting at Sligo, to-morrow, has been posted throughout Sligo, and has produced great excitement.

ROUMANIA.

BUCHAREST, Nov. 27.—The Roumanian chambers opened to-day. In his speech King Charles expressed himself as hopeful of a continuance of peace. He also announced that Prince Ferdinand of Hohenzellern had been definitely selected as heir to the throne of Roumania, the king being childless.

UNITED STATES.

KANSAS, CITY, Nov. 27.—The Missouri Pacific passenger train due here at 7:30 this morning, collided with a freight train near Greenwood, 20 miles east of this city. The engines were wrecked and the freight engine was hurled upon the forward part of the mail car, crushing it and killing Elijah Magoffin, the postal clerk. E Hibube, another clerk, is in a dying condition. The engineers and firemen saved themselves by jumping. None of the passengers were hurt. The accident was caused by a blunder of the telegraph operator at Greenwood, who sent forward train number 6 instead of number 121.

LOUISVILLE, (Ky.), Nov. 26.—A report has reached Williamsville, Kentucky, that the Poe family, thought to have been destroyed by fire in Knox county a month ago, were in reality murdered by a neighbor named Concubine. The mother, five children and two visiting young ladies, it will be remembered, were found burned in the ashes of a destroyed hut. The story of the murder is told as follows by an illegitimate son of Concubine, aged ten, whom his reputed father had threatened and made mad. This boy says that the man cut from ear to ear the throats of the eight persons while they slept and that his mother then dragged the bodies to the middle of the room and set them on fire. They also fired the house, took some of the bed clothing and other articles and departed. On the boy's statement an arrest and investigation followed and the Poe articles were found in the cellar of the suspected parties' house. They refused to be interviewed and are now in jail awaiting an examination.

Another Smash Up.

Railways, steamboats and telegraph lines all have had their experiences this year, but nothing has equalled the smash up in prices at the B. C. Stationery and Printing Co.'s store, next door to the postoffice. It is wonderful how much you can get for your money there. *

REMOVAL.—Thomas Thompson the gunmaker, has opened a store at 37 Johnson street.—Fine stock of guns and ammunition; repairing of all kinds. 1mo

PURCHASERS of Dry Goods are reminded that SHEARS & PAGE are closing out their large and fashionable stock of Dry Goods at cost. See advertisement. 1m

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WELCH, RITHET & CO.,

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27th Nov., 1886. no28-1t

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

TENDERS.

SEALED TENDERS FOR THE CONSTRUCTION of an Iron Can Buoy, with Cage, will be received at the Agency of the Department of Marine, (where specifications can also be seen) up to noon December 11th.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

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PASSENGERS.

Per str NORTH PACIFIC, from Puget Sound—Jno Redmond, W R Starkey and wife, E M Skinner, C E, Geo R Porter, F H Price, L'Danseard, Geo Hendrick, J W Jones, Dr Dafott, wife and family, 1 Japanese, Miss Fitzhenry, Geo Fielding, W Roach, C Dawson, J Bliss, M Sullivan, Rev J Gradel, E Stafford, J McLeod.

Per str PRINCESS LOUISE, from Burrard Inlet—W O Miller, R Harvey, E Harvey, W Harper, H E Connon, J L Cusack, C W Kempster, Hollowell, Lucas, Clark, W Heaton, E Percy, M Dalnard, Mrs Coleman, Miss Lind, Richards.

Per str R. P. RITHET, fm New Westminster—Mrs Irving, Mrs Christiansen, Miss Christiansen, Mrs Holloway and son, J Wilson, W H Adams, Thos Bishop, Geo Hayes, B English, J O McLeod, Drummond, W H and R Lonond, Hall, Black, J McArthur, R Jones, Dale, Geo Adams, McKay, D Robertson, Schruber.

CONSIGNEES

Per str NORTH PACIFIC, from Puget Sound—D McPhaden, G Bevilockway, Jno Parker, J H Todd & Son, Jno Redmond, J Cunningham, E E Blanchwood, Kelly Bros, Mounce Bros, M Sinclair, Nanaimo E P Soc, S Leiser, T Kichoff, Van Volkenburg, W Eckert, W H Burns, W J Herring, W R Austin.

Per str R. P. RITHET, fm New Westminster—A D J McLean, J G Greaves, Van Y & Bros, Dom Exp Co, Waid & Coster, James Ure, M Lenz, J W Sexsmith, J Parker, N & Renouf, W Sterling, Thos Crowther, F S Barnard, Vic Transfer Co.

BIRTHS.

In this city, on the 26th inst., the wife of Mr. Geo Jay, jr., Barrister-at-Law, of a daughter.

AUCTION SALES TO-MORROW.

G. BYRNES will sell at 11 o'clock, at Salesroom Wharf street, Wines, Liquors, Stout, Boots and Shoes, Tobacco, etc.

Letters Detained for Postage at Victoria P. C.

November 27, 1886.

Wing Tung, New Westminster
Louis Stark, Nanaimo.
Miss H. Beak, Purton, Eng. (2 pkgs)

Church Notices.

Christ Church Cathedral.—The Lord Bishop of the Diocese and Rev. A. Beanlands. Services—Morning at 11; evening at 7 o'clock.

St. John's Church (episcopal), Douglas street.—Rev. P. Jenns, rector. Services—Morning at 11; evening at 7 o'clock.

St. James (episcopal), Quebec street, James bay.—Rev. Archdeacon Scriven. Services—Morning at 11; evening at 7 o'clock.

R E. Church, cor. Humboldt and McClure streets.—Rt. Rev. Bishop Cridge and Rev. Jno. Reed, D. D. Services—Morning at 11; evening at 7 o'clock.

St. Andrew's Pro Cathedral, View street.—Archbishop Seghers and the Rev. Clergy. Services—Morning at 11; evening at 7 o'clock.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian, Courtenay street.—Rev. R. Stephen, pastor. Services—Morning at 11; evening at 7 o'clock.

First Presbyterian Church, Pandora street.—Rev. Donald Fraser, pastor. Services—Morning at 11; evening at 7 o'clock.

Calvary Baptist Church, Herald street.—Rev. Walter Barss, pastor. Services—Morning at 11; evening at 7 o'clock.

Pandora Street Methodist Church.—Rev. C. Ladner will preach in the morning, and Rev. W. W. Percival in the evening. Quarterly collection both morning and evening. Sabbath school in the afternoon at 2 30.

Gorge Road Methodist Church.—Rev. W. W. Percival will preach in the morning, and Rev. C. Ladner in the evening. Quarterly collection both morning and evening. Sabbath school in the afternoon at 2 30. Strangers welcomed at all the services.

Rev. G. Gradel will preach in the Pandora street Presbyterian Church this Sunday afternoon.

Rev. Miss Johnson will lecture on Spiritualism, at Harmony hall, Sunday 28th inst., at 8.30 p. m. Admission free.

Leon Bar.

This bar is situated about four miles above the Big Slide of Fraser river. In the early days of gold mining in British Columbia it was skinned by white miners who finally disappeared. Then John Chinaman with his long tail and his rocker came on the scene. He tested the paydirt and found it "belly good." Then he pitched his tent and proceeded to wash for gold. His success was such as to encourage him to greater exertions, so he put in sluices and brought water in by flume from a creek 21 miles distant. Now he is reaping a rich harvest—from $6 to $10 per day to the hand; and the diggings are lasting. The Chinese have the bar all to themselves and are about to extend their operations over other bars and benches in the neighborhood.

Blue Ribbon Club.

The meeting opened last night with singing "Only an Armor-Bearer," followed with prayer by president Gray; song by the choir. President Gray then made a few opening remarks; selection by the band, "Where is My Wandering Boy To-Night;" dialogue, by Misses Rudge, Copeland, Shaw. Rev. Mr. Fraser made a few able and encouraging remarks; he said that before he almost lost his voice he always devoted one night a week to the temperance cause. Part II.—Selection by the band; song, "Let Me Dream Again," Mr. Offerhaus, encored; recitation, "The Dying Girl," Miss Rudge; song, "The Lighthouse Light," Miss Dobbs, encored; "God Save the Queen."

SHAWNIGAN LAKE.—Mr. Chas. Morton has about completed a small hotel at Shawnigan lake, and though the accommodation is limited it is utilized to its utmost capacity. It is his intention in the spring to erect a large hotel to accommodate the many guests who will visit the new island summer resort. There is every reason to think that the lake will become a point of great attraction for tourists and citizens during the summer months. The lake is a beautiful sheet of water, surrounded by hills of romantic loveliness, and seems a spot intended by nature for recreation and enjoyment. It is still in its wild beauty, but no doubt artificial means will enhance this, and Shawnigan lake will become famous as a watering place.

A CASE--35

Days from London, brought the latest novelties in WOOL GOODS for the LANSDOWNE HOUSE, Yates street.

JOHN PARTRIDGE,
2w Proprietor.

Money in Monkeys.

Those who have visited Howard's hotel at Esquimalt lately, will remember a benign visaged specimen of the monkey tribe, which was a fixture at that hostelry. About that same "monk" hangeth a tale (no pun intended) It seems that a passing stranger, about a week ago, became a purchaser of the monkey, paying $20 for the the same. The stranger, who was on his way to the east, took his purchase as far as Victoria, when he found that the ape was too much bother. He accordingly left it with a friend who was staying at the Occidental hotel. The friend in turn became sick of his monkeyship, and in despair turned to the proprietor of the Occidental hotel, and asked what was to be done with the monkey. Mr. Bayley suggested selling it, and this was agreed to. Telephone set to work. "Is that Howard's?" "Yes." "Do you want to buy that monkey?" "What'll you take?" "Ten dollars." "I'll give you five." "Split the difference." "Done." And Mr. Monkey was accordingly boxed up and shipped for Esquimalt yesterday afternoon, he going back to his original owner, who has made $12.50 on the trade, besides saving a week's board. Trafficing in our ancestors seems to be a paying business.

Love Will Laugh at Locksmiths

Last week a young man from the flourishing settlement of Comox arrived by the steamer Dunsmuir, accompanied by a young lady who had been on a visit to friends in the settlement. It was arranged that they should be "made one" on arrival in this city. But a Nemesis in the shape of the brother of the expectant bride was on the track. He rushed to the government agent to stop the issuing of a license but Cupid won that trick. He then visited the different ministers in the city and requested them not to perform the marriage service. The young couple, even if they are from Comox, were not very verdant, for finding themselves blocked in Nanaimo they proceeded to Victoria by the train, but on their arrival at the Capital city they found the telegraph was quicker than steam. The Nemesis had been on the alert and telegraphed to the young lady's father at Victoria the position of affairs, and the "stern parent," as the novelist would say, was at the depot and clasped his daughter to his arms and took her home, leaving the expectant bridegroom out in the cold. The "stern parent" now holds the fort but unless he is extra vigilant he will find our caption all powerful. The would-be bridegroom nothing daunted still keeps up a state of seige and the wheel of love may soon turn in his favor. The course of true love does not always run smooth, but generally conquers in the end. Two to one the license is worth its face value. —*Nanaimo Free Press.*

NOT A SMUGGLER.—A pretty incident occurred at the landing of passengers from the Sound steamer yesterday afternoon, which lightened the heart of the generally regarded hard-hearted customs officer. While the effects of a wealthy family were being examined a little five-year old daughter came up to where the landing waiter was inspecting the contents of the mother's trunk, and placing a small square box on the trunk, said she wanted him to see it. The little child opened it, and the officer saw—a dressed doll. He marked the box O. K. and sent her away happy.

SLAUGHTERING THE INNOCENTS.—Every train on the Island railway brings to the city its quota of venison from points along the line. The greater number of animals killed are yearling deer, an occasional full-grown animal only being found among them. The slaughter this year has been something enormous, and if it goes on at this rate in the future, the forests of the island will be denuded of this noble game. It is a pity that hunters do not take some thought for the morrow, and spare the infant deer for future sport. The game law should be amended so as to prohibit the killing of deer until after their second year.

THE RIFLE COMPANY INSPECTION.—The regular inspection of the Victoria Rifle company was held on the government grounds yesterday afternoon. Lieut. Woolacott was in command of about thirty men who were put through a number of evolutions, which displayed much improvement over the last drill. Lieut.-Col. Holmes, acting deputy adjutant-general, inspected the company and complimented them upon their soldierly bearing and the precision with which each movement was executed.

POLICE NOTES.—In the police court yesterday Ah Sam was sentenced to three months at hard labor for stealing a rubber coat. Charlie Davie, an Indian, for having an intoxicant in his possession, was fined $25 or one month. John Cowan, a vag, was fined $50 or three months. The case of Wm. Sharp and Charles Golding, charged with smuggling, was remanded until Tuesday. Mr. Gannaway appeared for the crown and Willis Bond for the prisoners.

A SMALL FLOOD.—Water was turned off from the city mains on Friday night, between 11 and 2 o'clock a. m., and the tap was left open at the Odd Fellows hall during the social. When the water was again turned on it ran on the floor and down through the ceiling of Mr. Simpson's store, damaging his stock seriously and flooding the store.

THE Mexico sailed for San Francisco at 1 p.m. yesterday, carrying the following passengers from Victoria: D. W. Reid, Geo. Heriot, R. W. Dromgold, John McCully, C. Monch, Mrs. Min Chan Lee, James Wilson, A. B. Erskine, W. H. Hayes, C. Smallbridge, Mrs. A. West, E. Dunn, C. D. Atkinson, A. B. Cowan, A. D. Riddell, J. W. Nelson, and twenty-five in the steerage.

Concordia Hall.

This popular place of amusement is still running to full houses, the audience being delighted. An entire new bill will be given Monday evening, Nov. 29th, when the great Chinese impersonator, Geo. Brooks, will make his first appearance. Everything is first class. *

CATTLE.—By Thursday's steamer Van Volkenburgh Bros. received 130 head of cattle and yesterday 58 head came down. Greaves & Co. yesterday received 55 head and J. Parker 12 head. It is all prime beef.

THE SECOND lot of French Visites, Short Dolmans, Brocade Velvet Paltots, a full assortment of Ladies Jerseys of the latest styles, and a large assortment of Wool Goods suitable for presents, just received at SPENCER'S ARCADE, having come from London in thirty-four days. Ladies waiting for the above will be glad to hear of their arrival. *

CALL and have a talk with FISHER, the ARCHITECT, before you order your plans.*

What Some People Say.

That the local house will meet about January 25th.

That Edinboro' and Burton ales are always on draught at the Occidental Hotel. *

That doubts are now expressed at Ottawa as to the dissolution of the Dominion house by "violent" means—that is by proclamation before the legal death of the body.

THAT IF YOU NEED MONEY try the Victoria Loan Office, 44 Johnson street. Advances on jewelry, guns, etc. 6m

That it is said to be impossible to make men virtuous by act of parliament; but it *is* possible to make them clean by virtue of a city sewerage bylaw.

That the Occidental hotel maintains its name as one of the first class family hotels in this city. It makes its guests feel at home even when away from home. 1m

That an evening contemporary complains that *The Colonist* has not apologized to the chief of police. When *The Colonist* is shewn that it has wronged that official, it will apologize. Not before.

That the annual tea meeting of the First Presbyterian church, Pandora street, will be held in the school-room on Wednesday evening December 1st. Admission, 50c. Tea from 6:30 to 7:30. *

That if Mr. Duncan should remove the Metlakahtlan colony to American territory, there will be a clear annual loss of trade to Victoria merchants of at least $100,000.

That American officials at Port Townsend say Uncle Sam will be only too glad to welcome the highly civilized Indian community, and will give them a whole island to themselves.

That those who wish to send their photos to the "old country" in time for Xmas, would do well to sit now and avoid the Xmas rush. HALL & LOWE, Photographers, Government street. *

That Katie Putnam opens in Portland to-morrow night. It is not known when she will play here.

That the marble counters in the Yorkshire Market were cut and polished at Fisher's Albion Marble Works, Gordon street, in rear of Windsor Hotel. Public criticism courted upon all work bearing the name of "Fisher" in Ross Bay cemetery. *

Personal.

Dr. Praeger has decided to remove to Nanaimo to practice his profession. He has taken an office on Victoria Crescent.

D. W. McLaren, wholesale saddlery merchant of Montreal, is at the Driard.

John McCully, of Clinton, left on yesterday's steamer for California, where he will likely permanently remain.

A. B. Erskine left yesterday by the Mexico for San Francisco to purchase the balance of his boot and shoe stock.

At the Oriental: A. P. Snarpstein, Port Townsend; A. Heslam, Nanaimo.

Mr. R. T. Drummond, the genial mail agent of the C. P. R., is a guest of the Clarence.

At the Clarence: A. W. Walker, Portland; F. G. Savage, John A. Arthur, Ontario; H. J. Ross, New Westminster; F. R. Thomas, Saanich.

Capt. John Irving left by the Mexico yesterday for San Francisco to finally complete arrangements for the building of the new iron steamer.

At the Driard: A. P. Sharpstein, Port Townsend; Dr. Duflot and family, Paris; J. Winslow Jones, Portland, Maine.

R. Harvey and his son, E. Harvey, arrived on the Louise last evening.

At the Occidental: A. B. Moson, John Tuyley, St. Croix; John Williams, Hamilton, Ont.; J. Mills, William Stephen, New Westminster; Thomas Alcock, Sydney, C. B.; J. L. Janes Parson, Robt. Murphy, J Shiffington, Kamloops; R. S. Renier, G. W. Ralph, D. McPhee, Port Moody; W. B. Schuyler, Quamicnan; Jas. B. Kennedy, Vancouver; Edward Stafford, Seattle; George R. Porter, J. L. Holloway, Kootenay; A. Swanson, Chemainus; John Inglis, Montrose, Scotland; A. Homes, Wm. Stephen, Nadaimo.

Marine.

The Mexico sailed from the outer wharf at one o'clock yesterday for San Francisco.

There is nothing further in reference to the Barnard Castle, which still holds her position at Bentick Bay.

The G. W. Elder is coming up the coast in place of the Queen of the Pacific, the last named steamer having been withdrawn to run on the Portland route, while the State of California is having new boilers put in.

Bark Julian Ford has been chartered at San Francisco to take a cargo of Wellington coal from Departure Bay to Honolulu.

PORTLAND, OREGON.

E. T. Barnett Found Guilty of Robbery--The McGibeny Family Have Crowded Houses.

(Special to the Colonist.)

PORTLAND, Or., Nov. 27.—The jury in the case of the State of Oregon against E. T. Barnett, charged with robbing Geo. D. Wolff, the young Englishman, of $2 500 in Canadian bank notes, found the defendant guilty after being out all night.

The McGibeny family closed their fourth concert at the Newmarket theatre to night Their audiences have been the largest ever known in Portland before.

The McGibeneys.

This interesting family will open in The Victoria on Monday evening and from press accounts elsewhere it would appear that a rare musical treat is in store for theatre-goers. The following is from the Hartford Times: "The family group is so attractive that the whole audience experiences a kindly interest in the domestic scene, and it is more in the character of friends than critics the renditions are listened to. Besides this, it is so rare a thing nowadays to behold a nice, talented lady, still in the vigor and beauty of early womanhood, the mother of a dozen children, and exceedingly proud of them—she herself a good artiste, and they inheriting her talent. That alone makes it worth going to the entertainments.

THE YALE FIRE.—No fuather particulars have been received of the fire at Yale on Friday morning, which consumed Power Bros.' store, the Branch and California saloons and McQuarrie's. It is supposed that the fire was the work of an incendiary, and an enquiry will be made into the matter.

IT IS the intention of the ladies auxiliary of the Y.M.C.A. to hold a sale of plain and fancy work in aid of the boys' branch of the association early in the spring.

More Consistency. (!)

The Times has said a great deal of late about paid "puffs," which has been ignored by this journal. As an instance of the remarkable effect a few dollars in the shape of advertising has on the Times, we quote below criticisms before and after receiving an advertisement from the manager of the Concordia. It can be easily gathered from these that our erratic evening contemporary, while crying "stop thief," is only making a vain attempt to shield himself:

The Concordia is drawing poor houses at present. The management are at fault in keeping a threadbare company of artists, who, by the way, have had a little dissension amongst themselves. The people of Nanaimo and the mainland would like to see a good show once in a while, but are averse to barnstorming combinations at any time.—*Times (Nov. 9).*

The management of this entertainment, at a great expense, have given the public an excellent vaudeville entertainment this week to crowded houses. Mr. Sieverd is an enterprising young man and has spared no pains and expense to please his patrons. Such commendable enterprise is meeting its just reward, and a peep into the well conducted entertainment, crowded nightly, is proof of the merits of the company.—*Times (Nov. 27).*

The Wrong Animal.

There is a genuine South-American armadillo or ant-eater to be seen at the poulterer's on Johnson, above Government street. It is tame and would soon became an ugly household pet. Two citizens were looking at the shovel-nozed creature yesterday morning when one suggested that the other should buy the brute and take it home.

"What on earth do I want with an ant-eater!" returned the other, "I ain't got no aunt. What I want is an animal that will eat my mother-in-law. Show me a mother-in-law eater and I'm your customer for life."

He was advised to procure a black bear..

CHANGE OF TIME.—By reference to the C. P. N. Co.'s time table it will be seen that the sailing time of the New Westminster route has been altered. The R. P. Rithet will leave Victoria on Monday morning at 6 o'clock instead of 2 as formerly. She will leave New Westminster on the return trip at 4 o'clock on Tuesday morning instead of 7 as previously. The change is made so as to enable passengers and mails via Monday's train to reach Victoria three hours quicker, an improvement that will be appreciated by the business public.

INFERIOR FISH.—D. W. Higgins, late editor and proprietor of the Victoria Colonist, has just returned from a trip to Eastern Canada. He tells the people that the exhausted inferior fish sent recently from the canneries in the province have injured the market—a story similar to that told of the bad salmon sent east this fall by the Columbia river packers.—*Seattle Post-Intelligencer.*

JUDGE DAWNE.—The notorious Judge Dawne of Alaska fame and other notoriety, whose sudden disappearance elicited so much comment during the early part of this year, is now reported as having turned up in San Francisco, and is travelling as Dr. Benson, a professor of surgery in the San Diego university.—*Vancouver Independent.*

FORTHCOMING TREATS.—Professor Enrico Sorgé purposes giving two concerts to renovate the organ of the Reformed Episcopal Church. The first concert will take place on the 7th of December, upon which occasion several novelties, vocal and instrumental will be introduced.

THE FINEST stock of goods for the Xmas holidays ever imported into the province, can be seen at M. W. WAITT & Co's book store, embracing all the latest novelties in plush and leather, marked at prices to suit the times. *

HOPE TRAIL.—A despatch from Hope yesterday says: "Stevenson's pack train arrived from Granite Creek to-day; he reports the trail good; weather fine; and expects to make one or two trips more for merchants anxious to get freight in this way.

FOR BEAR RIVER.—The schooner Active leaves to-morrow for Bear river, on the west coast. It is to this point that large numbers of Chinese have flocked, they having evidently "struck it rich." The Arctic will take down a dozen more and a large quantity of supplies.

PIONEER SOCIETY.—The annual meeting for the election of officers will be held on Wednesday evening next. The annual dinner will be held Dec. 4th.

THANKS.—Fraser river furnishes some of the best ducks in the market, and Purser Bishop is a first-class judge of wild fowl. Much obliged, Harry, for the brace.

THE MACKLEYS.—In the Theatre Comique last evening the Mackleys played to a small house, though a good programme was furnished, which was well appreciated.

Late Canadian News.

ONTARIO.

At the South Wentworth conservative convention, F. M. Carpenter was nominated for the Dominion and Richard Quance for the local.

Willie, son of Wm. Copeland, of St. Catharines, was instantly killed by the explosion of a japanning boiler in McKinnon and Mitchell's factory.

Mr. Mowat has already two seats filled by supporters of his who will sit in the house next session—East and West Algoma. The Elections Act provides that the nominations and pollings for Algoma shall take place only between May 20 and May 30, and that the members of the last house shall continue to sit in any session that may intervene between the dissolution and the election for Algoma.

Mr. A. S. Allan, of Clifford, has been unanimously chosen as the liberal standard bearer for West Wellington in the coming provincial contest.

Archibald Campbell, of Campbell, Stevens & Co., millers of Chatham, has been nominated for the commons by the liberals and Knights of Labor of Kent.

QUEBEC.

Mayor Rochon, of Hull, has deposited $1,000 to contest Cormier's election in Ottawa county.

Mr. Davergne, law partner of Hon. Mr. Laurier, has been nominated in Drummond and Arthabasca.

A man named Berouard, who is very respectively connected in Quebec, has been arrested as an accomplice of the highway man Vallaincourt. On being arrested Berouard completely broke down, and made a full confession implicating himself and Vaillancourt.

THE FINEST line of Christmas gifts, juvenile books, and fancy goods will be opened at JAMIESON'S in a few days. *

JAMIESON'S is the cheapest store in the city for staple stationery, blank books and copying presses. *

JUST ARRIVED, DIRECT FROM THE FACTORY, A FINE ASSORTMENT OF MARLIN RIFLES, AT H. SHORT'S, GUNMAKER, FORT STREET. 2w

The Wrecked Steamship.

TO THE EDITOR:—I see by the press that Mr. Whitelaw has again applied to obtain permission to come and work with foreign machinery, vessel, etc., in this province—and if the press reports be true, permission has been obtained by him. "Why?" is the universal cry. Has any notification of raising her, or wrecking her, been published in any *one* of our papers, asking for local assistance, either upon a percentage of her insurance (the Barnard Castle is the bone of contention), or to give a tender as a bulk sum to raise her? I admit that Mr. Finlayson did, after I stopped him on the street, on the afternoon of the 25th November, ask me to give him a tender to raise her, or stop her leak; but telling me at the same time that Whitelaw had already telegraphed to know if his wrecking material could come in free, or what duty would be demanded. I told him that to give a tender to raise her under the circumstances I would not (individually), as no advertisement had been offered to that effect. Had this been done gentlemen of capital could have met with men acquainted with such work and arrived at some conclusion, and I have no hesitation in in saying that men and material are here, or so near by the C. P. R. that, the Whitelaw to the contrary, we require no wrecker from San Francisco, who, by the by, has left the Warhawk and Mississippi on the Sound unraised, and the Hooghly outside of Port Townsend, as large monuments of non-success?

Montreal is within six days of us, and our well known and successful contractors, Messrs. Larkin, Connolly & Company, have pumps that would, perhaps, open Mr. Whitelaw's eyes, and them at any one's command for hire, and this in Canada (not United States). When sent for by Mr. Hamley yesterday I told him that men and material were here to do the work, so if Mr. Whitelaw is again allowed to defraud the revenue of Canada of its legitimate supply, who is to blame? He may want to go into the general wrecking business again and tell others as he told me in the presence of witnesses—he had too much money for the like of me to interfere with him in what he was doing.

I think I have plainly stated the truth, and I say that had a one-day advertisement been inserted in the papers no trouble would have been found in bringing forward, perhaps more than one company who would have tendered to have raised the Barnard Castle, more favorable to the underwriters through being here and fully acquainted with the weather at this season, location, etc. But they have sprung a San Francisco mine upon us and have not given us a chance.

THOS. HARMAN, Professional Diver.
Victoria, Nov. 26th, 1888.

The Indian Title.

TO THE EDITOR:—In a former letter the fact was mentioned that the judges both in England and Canada had decided that Indians had no legal title to land. Further, that whatever was given them by governments was given not on account of title but for moral reasons, policy politics and peace sake. It was likewise stated that Sir James Douglas had not bought the Indian title but had made a treaty of *amity* and *friendship* with the Indians about Victoria in the early days of its settlement, and had given them blankets and other iktas. For the fact of the Indians not having any legal title to land, the decisions of the judges are sufficient warranty.

A despatch of Sir James Douglas dated March 25th, 1861, and the answer of the Duke of Newcastle thereto, was published in *The Colonist*, and are triumphantly held up by some as a proof that the Indians held a legal title to the land, notwithstanding the legal decisions of the judges given ever and over again and entirely adverse to their position.

If any one will read Sir James' despatch without prejudiced eyes and knowing the decisions of the judges, he will come to the conclusion that Sir James did not buy any Indian title, to land, but made as has been contended treaties of amity with the Indians. He says (i. e. not Sir James): "As the *native Indian* population of Vancouver island have distinct ideas of property in land and possessory rights, they would not fail to regard the occupation thereof, unless with the full consent of the proprietary tribes as national wrongs, and the sense of injury might produce a feeling of irritation against the settlers and endanger the peace of the country. *Knowing their feelings on that subject*, I made it a practice to purchase the native rights in the land (i. e. what the natives supposed their rights). Sir James goes on to write: The settled districts (Victoria for instance) have been bought from the Indians at a cost not exceeding £2. 10s. per head for each family.

Now observe: Sir James does *not state that the Indians have a title to the land*, but that the native Indians have distinct ideas of property in land, that is to say *Indian ideas*, not legal ones, and *so to prevent any feeling of irritation against the settlers* I made it a practice to purchase the native rights in the land. Can anything be more plain than that in this way Sir James made treaties of amity and friendship and paid for them as a matter of policy?

It matters not how the papers were made out; the Indians not having any legal right in the land could not give any conveyance of land. What they could give goodness only knows; but nothing more than some mysterious, undefined, perhaps non-existing rights for something or other, worth £2 10s. per head—evidently in this case peace and friendship—something to prevent a feeling of irritation against the settlers and endanger the peace of the country, the Indians probably supposing their distinct ideas of property had been bought.

Now what are the rights of Indians? A conundrum! The fact is, "Indian title" to land is a misnomer. There is legally no such thing. Yet people by using the term and seeing it used frequently have come, more or less, to believe in its existence!—in the same manner that people begin to believe a fiction after having heard it often repeated—hence the dispute—a heap of trouble not yet ended.

J. S. H.

VICTORIA, Nov. 27, 1886.

Joseph Sommers.

Just received fine stock of best ornamental gold and all kinds of mouldings, also a fine assortment of genuine steel engravings and works of art. Pictures mounted; cabinet work a specialty; low prices. Government street, next to Bank of B. C. building. Inspection invited. 2m

NEW AND SECOND-HAND

CLOTHING BOUGHT AND SOLD.—Highest cash price paid for *Superfluous or Cast off Garments, Blankets and Overcoats.* TRAVELERS having a superfluity of clothing can sell them for cash to

N. POINTER, Johnson st., near Broad.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

DOLLS FOR THE MILLION!

—AT THE—

LONDON BAZAAR.

The LOW PRICES of the Large Assortment of Toys, etc.

Has caused great surprise as well as pleasure to the public.

ATWELL KING & CO.

Respectfully solicit a visit to their Showrooms. N. B.—Parcels packed and kept to be delivered at Christmas tide.

A Cold Blast

Comes over those who have purchased their Xmas cards, when they see what they can get for their money at the B. C. Stationery and Printing Co.'s store, next door to postoffice. *

NEW Fur Capes, Fur Dolmanettes, Fur Boas, Fur Muffs and Muff Bags, Fur Top Gloves, Fur Trimmings, &c., at the CITY HOUSE. *

XMAS CARDS.—Prang, Raphael Tuck's, Heildersheimer's, Saunders' and Wirth t JAMIESON'S. *

CHRISTMAS number of the Young Ladies' Journal on hand at T. N. Hibben's. *

GO TO JAMIESON'S for fine stationery. *

CASSELL'S Almanacs for 1887 at Hibben & Co. ‡

VICTORIA CITY MAP, corrected to 1886, price $1.50, at Jamieson's Bookstore. *

VICTORIA TRANSFER CO.,

(LIMITED.)

REDUCTION

—OF—

HACK RATES

THE FOLLOWING EXCEPTIONALLY LOW Hack and Livery Rates will apply until further notice:—

From the Stand to any point within the City Limits, one person	$0 25
Driving by the Hour, each hour	1 00
Dinner Parties and Theatres, to and from	1 00
To Trains and Steamers, each person	50
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W. T. THOMPSON,
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Victoria, Nov. 20th, 1886. no21wlt

AUCTION SALE

—OF—

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I AM INSTRUCTED BY Christopher West, Esq., to sell his residence on

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AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The Property is situated between Blanchard and Quadra streets, on Kane street on the sunny side. The Lot is 60x120 ft., fenced, cultivated, having a number of Fruit Trees, Grape Vines, Rose Bushes, and is thoroughly drained. On the property is a five-roomed Cottage, hard finished and in good repair.

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ALL THE FURNITURE AND HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS,

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TERMS CASH

W. R. CLARKE,
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G. BYRNES,

AUCTIONEER.

AUCTION.

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On Wednesday, 1st Decemb'r

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.,

QUEEN'S HOTEL AND RESTAURANT.

I HATE BEEN INSTRUCTED by the Mortgagee to sell on the premises, Yates street, the whole of the

FURNITURE AND EFFECTS

in the above Hotel, consisting of 2 large Ranges and all appurtenances, Platform Scales, Meat Safes, Copper Boiler, Pans, Cutlery, Crockery, Glassware, Dining Tables, Tablecloths, Cruet Stands, Chairs, Oilcloth, Bar fixings, Liquors, etc.

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AUCTIONEERS.

Monday, Nov'r 29th, 1886.

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WINES, LIQUORS, STOUT,

Cigars, Syrups, Groceries,

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7 cs Campbelton Whisky
9 cs 4 doz ½ flasks Irish Whisky
13 cs 1 doz quarts " "
12 cs Ginger Gin
10 cs Old Tom Gin
8 cs Rum, 5 cs Orange Bitters
6 qr cks Rum, 20 cs Ginger Wine
3 cs Imperial Champagne
4 cs Sparkling Moselle, pints
3 cs " " quarts
3 cs Ginger Wine

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12 cs " " quarts
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— doz Royal Baking Powder
5 cs Preserved Ginger
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20 cs Fairbank's Lard
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JOSHUA DAVIES,
no21 Auctioneer.

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AUCTIONEERS,

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One Block South of Fort street, above Marer's Fruit Store.
no23 6t

For the Ladies.

Big and little buttons are both worn on the same suit.

Black stockings are still the fashionable wear for children.

Colored bows to match the stockings are worn on slippers.

Fancy-headed hairpins are very fashionable worn in the hair.

Salt and water should be used for cleaning willow furniture.

Mrs. Mackay's dressmakers are understood to be pledged not to duplicate her dresses for anyone else.

Dr. Morin, a French physician, in a new work on the hygienics of beauty, makes a dead set against earrings.

Small, comb-shaped hairpins have the tops of red stones beautifully cut of fine gilt, in imitation of filigree gold.

Beads and bugles find a place on all manner of garments this season, beginning with bonnets and gloves and ending with shoes and stockings.

New bows in lace and tulle dresses are round in shape, yet are made of but two pieces of ribbon, not looped, but notched on the edges and crossing each other, being very closely pleated together, without a strap in the centre.

Passementerie jerseys and crocheted silk jerseys strewn with cut jets in star designs are imported to wear with black silk skirts. Some of them are without sleeves and are to have lace or velvet sleeves, as best suits the skirts.

A girl named Maggie Dickie has just died in England through an accident she met with while playing lawn tennis a month ago. She had fallen on her side, and a lead pencil in her pocket had penetrated her thigh, causing injuries which at first appeared to be rather trivial, but which gradually assumed a more serious aspect and resulted fatally.

It is said that Mrs. George Gould was so pleased with the Gould system of railroads that during her recent trip she remarked: "They are indeed wonderful roads. I'd like to own the whole system." Thereupon her father-in law immediately presented her with $12,500 worth of stocks, saying that he could not give her the entire system, but was glad to hand her a little piece.

Two years ago Miss Mary Tyner was rowing on a Wisconsin lake, when one of her oars broke. Prof. J. Frank Barr, rowing in another boat, saw her plight, and lent her a pair of oars. An acquaintance followed, and a few days ago a wedding. Among the floral decorations was a boat with a broken oar.

Jefferson Davis' daughter Winnie, who is now visiting various northern cities, is tall, and her gait is airy and graceful, with something of the elasticity made popular by Ellen Terry. Her complexion is almost colorless, and, when the face is in repose, unusually sad. The features are all strong, save her nose, which is just a trifle pinched. She has, however, a store of loveliness in her eyes, which are of a lustrous black, and brilliant without being coquettish.

In presiding at the nineteenth annual meeting of the Manchester National Society for Women's Suffrage, held at the Manchester Town Hall the other day, Mr. Woodall, M. P., said we were about to celebrate the Queen's Jubilee, and one of the most graceful forms in which the nation could acknowledge the service Her Majesty had rendered the country would be by admitting to the simple rights of citizenship the sisters of one who had been so wise a ruler over us.

Richter said no man can either live piously or die righteous without a wife. Malherbe said the two most beautiful things on earth are women and roses. Saville considered there was more strength in women's looks than in any laws. Victor Hugo didn't believe that women detested serpents so much from fear, but more through professioal jealousy. Boucicault wished that Adam had died with all his ribs in his body. The only thing that consoled Lady Blessington for being a woman was that she could not be made to marry one.

The framing of engravings is a matter of great nicety. The margin should be cut to suit the size of the picture. A vast "meadow" of white is offensive to good taste, and tends to dwarf the engraved portion. The fashion of ebony frames with a beading of gilt is bold and harsh, and funereal in aspect where the engraving or etching is large. The simple square-edged frame of oak, unvarnished, with a slight inner rabet of gold, is about the best and most suitable; but here, again, the tone of the wall must be considered. But whatever the color or character of the frame for the engraving or etching, it must not be elaborate.

A charming costume is made of cloth velvet of the precise tint of sable when you blow the fur apart; golden brown toned down with gray. Bands of sable trim the skirt in a perpendicular direction, the velvet being gracefully draped. At the back, the skirt just rests on the ground, a fashion that is now being adopted for visiting and wedding dresses. The bodice of velvet, trimmed with fur in front, so as to form a square. This square, filled in with softest folds of pale pink crepe-de-Chine. The high collar is also crepe de-Chine in front; velvet at the sides and back. A mantle, short at the back and finished off just below the waist with three sable tails, made of velvet and trimmed all round with sable, the high collar being also composed of the fur. The velvet bonnet trimmed with a little fur, mixed with ribbon velvet matching the sable tint of the piece velvet. The daintiest possible little bow of pale pink ribbon is placed at one side, just under the edge of the brim. The muff matches the bonnet.

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Religious Notes.

When Sam Jones and Sam Small get through with Canada, they are going to labor in Boston, under the auspices of the Methodists. The Baptists and Congregationalists were asked to co-operate, but have kindly and firmly refused.

For good or for evil, says the Christian at Work, the Congregationalists are gradually yielding to the influence of wealth and departing from the simplicity of their fathers. The meeting house is everywhere giving place to the gaudy and gorgeous temple. One of the latest manifestations of the spirit of this new departure is a Congregational cathedral at West Croydon, a suburb of London. It has just been opened, and is said to be one of the finest specimens of recent ecclesiastical architecture. It boasts of an organ of 2,142 pipes, blown by two hydraulic engines; an exquisitely painted west window, a pulpit of marble and onyx and a clock tower with chimes.

From the minutes of Conference just issued one is able at a glance to get at the strength of British Methodism at home and abroad. Great Britain—Members, 412,384; on trial, 28,531; ministers, 1,607; on trial, 81. Ireland—Members, 24,644; on trial, 725; ministers, 173, on trial, 21; supernumeraries, 42. Foreign missions—Members, 39,924; on trial, 4,274; ministers, 221; on trial, 113; supernumeraries, 7. African Conference—Members, 23,547; on trial, 8,611; ministers, 119; on trial, 51. West India Conference—Members, 43,317; on trial, 1,807; ministers, 67; on probation, 18. Totals—Members, 536,408, on trial, 44,021; ministers, 2,215; on trial, 285. This does not include Australia, and, of course, it does not pretend to cover the American field.

The Christian at Work says a famous clergyman who used to preach in Brooklyn, is remembered for having begun an invocation in this way:—"O Thou Almighty God, who art the ultima thule of our expectations, the ne plus ultra of our desires and the sine qua non of our aspirations;" while on another occasion he exclaimed fervently: "Paradoxical as it may seem to Thee, O Lord."

The most interesting feature of the Athabasca mission is said to be the industrial training school, at Onchaga, near Vermilion, Peace river, known as the Irene school. The Bishop of Mckenzie River is assisted by an archdeacon, six missionaries and some native catechists, and the buildings in use are four churches and seven misson houses. The Tukuth converts are described as intelligent, affectionate, docile and industrious. The Esquimaux, though still wild, are not indisposed to receive instruction.

His Lordship Mgr. Moreau, of St. Hyacinthe, crossed the Atlantic at the same time as Sir Charles Tupper, who showed great deference to the bishop. He accompanied the prelate to the Colonial Exhibitions and showed it to the visitor in every part. Mgr. Moreau, in a letter received lately at the bishop's palace at St. Hyacinthe, professes himself charmed with the High Commissioner's courtesy towards him.

The Rev. Dr. Ryerson has left an enduring monument to his name in the Ontario school system, of which he was for over a third of a century the head and inspiring genius. It is now proposed, however, to erect a statue to his memory either on the grounds of the Education Department or the Queen's park, Toronto. The committee in charge of the fund has now in hand $4,425, but as over $7,000 will be required, an appeal has been made for further contributions. Dr. Ryerson's is an honored name in Canadian history, and there should be the least difficulty in raising the required amount.

There is a movement on foot in Hamilton, says the Toronto World, to nominate Rev. Dr. Burns, president of the Wesleyan Ladies' College, for parliament in the Liberal interest. Clerical legislators are novelties in Canada, but are of occasional occurrence in the United States. The most recent instance of the kind that we recall was that of the Rev. Dr. Ryerson, of Brant, with whom D'Arcy McGee had a famous tilt once upon a time. Dr. Burns' personal views as to his nomination have not been made public, but he is thought not adverse to the honor. Presumably the idea is that he would carry a big combined Methodist and Irish Catholic vote.

It is expected that Cardinal Taschereau will leave for Rome early in December to receive the red hat from the hands of the Pontiff himself in the consistory to be held there next month.

According to the estimate of the dean of Westminister, one-fifth of the whole population of England and Wales are in Sunday-school—that is, there are 600,000 teachers and 5,200,000 scholars.

It appears from the annual report of the committee of the general assembly of the Presbyterian church in Ireland on statistics, that there are 556 congregations on the roll, consisting of 78,855 families, of whom 102,028 are communicants.

Thursday was the fortieth anniversary of the installation of Rev. Dr. R. S. Storrs as pastor of the Church of the Pilgrims (Congregational) Brooklyn, and the tall and stately, albeit, humble and dignified, divine was overwhelmed with congratulations by mail and telephone and in person.

Christianity is beginning to take hold of India. By the recent census it is found that "the native Christians are increasing there fifteen times as fast as the population." This is accounted for by the continually increasing number of conversions, the higher birth-rate among the Christian population than among the heathen, and the lower death-rate.

In the Memorial Church, London, Rev. Canon Richardson, the rector, made a fitting allusion to the death of the late Bishop McLean, of the Saskatchewan diocese. He began by alluding to the fact that the deceased had preached his first and last sermon in London from the Memorial Church pulpit, and then recounted the great work accomplished by him during the past twelve years in the Northwest, where he endured many hardships with a zeal, fortitude and devotion that was not unlike that of John the Baptist.

Fashion Notes.

Pink macrone bustles are to be worn with very thin ball dresses.

An orange plush has a quiet, toned-down silver grey silk stripe in it.

Tailor made suits contain "cushion" enough for a great many thousand pins.

A whole squirrel and a full-sized owl are types of the new autumn bonnets.

A natty boot of gilt with blue silk lacings holds "pins and needles and things."

Newest Parisian fashion plates are said to show a marked decrease in size of bustle.

A peacock blue satin has "our great grandmother's" dressing gown patterns embellishing it.

Women who possess sealskin wraps in any shape say they will be more fashionable than ever.

Thin-soled white satin shoes for brides are displayed. Dead gold silver beads ornaments the toe.

Unique plush corsets for winter wear are in blue, red and gold colors; nothing less than real lace ornaments for them.

A plain blue and white or red and white broad striped silk brace is the approved of the approving young man of the time.

A very velvety looking paper in subdued colors, such as mouse, steel and pale yellow, is taking the place of the leather library paper.

Bodices of plain as well as striped materials are made on the bias. Dressmakers declare that a better fit is attained in this manner.

Among the French novelties in dress are plain underskirts made wholly of fur. These have tunics above, made of soft wool of various kinds.

Purses for ladies are made of soft chamois skin, studded with gay Indian feathers and peacock-plumes, and hang from the belt with silver chains.

Merino will be revived, it is said. It will be of very fine quality and of double width, and will be used in combination with silk or the various materials with raised stripes.

For Quiet Moments.

The secret of success is constancy to purpose.

We are never so happy or unhappy as we suppose.

It is better to be nobly remembered than nobly born.

One man's word is no man's word; we should quietly hear both sides.

Truth is as impossible to be soiled by any outward touch as the sunbeam.

Moderation is the silken string running through the pearl chain of all virtues.

Many people are busy in the world gathering together a handful of thorns to sit upon.

Every man throws on his surroundings the sunshine or shadow that exists in his own soul.

Teach self-denial and make its practice pleasurable, and you create for the world a destiny more sublime than ever issued from the brain of the wildest dreamer.

Good health is catching, and all are benefited by contact with healthy people. Ill health is also catching, and the most healthy person is depressed by contact with the sick.

Carlyle says: "We are firm believers in the maxim that, for all right judgment of any man or thing, it is useful, nay essential, to see his good qualities before pronouncing on his bad."

Men's lives should be like the day—more beautiful in the evening; or like the summer—aglow with promise; and like the autumn—rich with golden sheaves, where good deeds have ripened in the field.

Everything which tends to discourage or agitate the mind, whether it be excessive sorrow, rage or fear, envy or revenge, love or despair, in short, whatever acts violently on our mental faculties, tends to injure the health.

Exemption from mistake is not the privilege of mortals; but when our mistakes are involuntary, we owe each other every candid consideration; and the man who on discovering his errors acknowledges and corrects them, is scarcely less entitled to our esteem than if he had not erred.

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Dated at Victoria,
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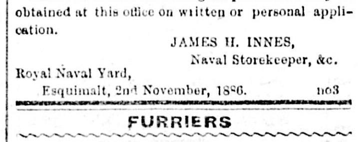

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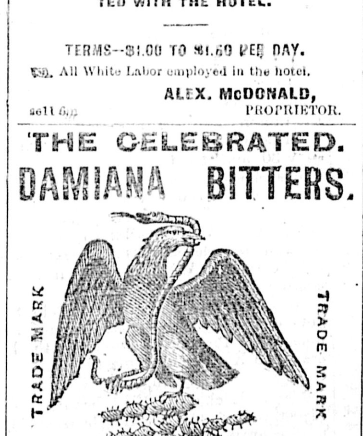

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The Company reserves the right of changing this Time Table at any time without notification.

For Fort Simpson and Metlakahtla—Str MAUDE leaves SATURDAY, 9 h inst., at 5 p. m.

G A. CARLETON, Gen. Agent. JOHN IRVING, Manager.
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EX SHIPS

GLENLYON, ARCHER, ETC.

PICKLES—Crosse and Blackwells
SAUCE—Worcestershire, Lea & Perrin's
MUSTARD—Coleman's
CURRANTS—In 125-lb. boxes
OLIVE OIL—Plagniol's, in tins of 10 kilos each
CAPERS—Nonpareilles
GREEN PEAS—French
SARDINES—Albert's, in qrs. and hlfs
CANDLES—Price's
MUSTARD—French a la Bordelaise
CURACOA—Stone Jars
MARASCHINO
KIRSCHWASSER
CHARTREUSE
CHAMPAGNE—Geo. H. Mumm's Extra Dry; Louis Roderer's; Eug. Clicquot's Extra Dry; ditto Ordinaire; Mantrachet; Romanee.
BITTERS—Angustora, Orange and Boker's
WHISKIES—Jamieson and Dunnville Irish Whiskies; Hawthorn, Garnkirk and Lochiel Scotch Whiskies
BRANDIES—Hennessy, Martell and U. v. C., case and bulk
GIN—Red, Green and Old Tom Gin
BASS' ALE and Guinness Stout, quarts and pints
FREDERICKSBURG, Milwaukee & St. Louis Lagers
LEO CANBIE Bourbon Whisky, case and bulk
GINGER ALE—Wheeler's Belfast
BURGUNDIES—Red, White and Sparkling
CLARETS—In case and bulk, and White Wine in case.

WHOLESALE AT

BOUCHERAT & CO'S

YATES STREET.

no10

ESQUIMALT AND NANAIMO R. R.

WINTER ARRANGEMENTS.

GOING NORTH READ DOWN. No. 2 PASSENGER DAILY		STATIONS.	GOING SOUTH READ UP. No. 1 PASSENGER. DAILY.	
De. 8.20	A.M	RUSSELL'S, Vict. W.	Ar 4.40	....
" 8.30	....	....E QUIMALT....	" 4.30	....
" 8.55	....	....GOLDSTREAM....	" 4.05	....
" 9 50	....	SHAWNIGAN LAKE	" 3.10	....
" 10.00	....	....COBBLE HILL....	" 3.00	....
" 10 15	....	...McPHERSON'S....	" 2.45	....
" 10.25	....	....KOKSILAH....	" 2.35	....
" 10.30	....	....DUNCAN'S....	" 2 30	....
" 10.40	....	....SOMENOS....	" 2.20	....
" 11.02	....	....CHEMAINUS....	" 1.58	....
Ar. 12.00	....	....NANAIMO....	De. 1.00	P.M

AFTER THE 1st NOVEMBER NEXT, AND UNtil further notice, in addition to the regular train service, special Trains will run as follows:—

Leave Nanaimo..............at 8 00 a. m. Saturdays
Arrive Russell's Station, Victoria W. at 11 40 " "
Leave " " at 1 20 p. m. " "
Arrive Nanaimo..............at 5 00 " "
Leave " ....at 8 00 a. m. Sundays
Arrive Russell's Station, Victoria W. at 11 40 " "
Leave " " at 1 20 p. m. " "
Arrive Nanaimo..............at 5 00 " "
Leave " ....at 8 00 a. m. Mondays
Arrive Russell's Station, Victoria W. at 11 40 " "

RETURN TICKETS at a SINGLE FARE will be issued at all Stations on Saturdays and Sundays, good for passenger trains leaving Russell's Station, Victoria West, and Nanaimo, on Saturdays, Sundays and Mondays.

R. DUNSMUIR, President. H. K. PRIOR, Freight & Passenger Agt.
JOSEPH HUNTER, General Superintendent.
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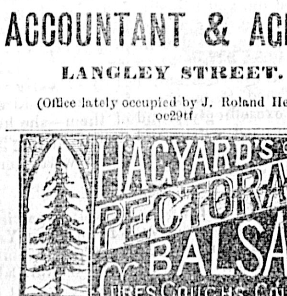
GEO. A. SARGISON,

ACCOUNTANT & AGENT

LANGLEY STREET.

(Office lately occupied by J. Roland Hett.
oc29tf



HENRY SMILOW,

GENERAL SCAVENGER.

YARDS AND CESSPOOLS CLEANED, WELLS dug and cleaned, contracts made for removing earth, etc. All orders left with M. Wightman, cor. Douglas and Fort streets, or Bossi & Giesselman! Yates street, will be promptly attended to. fe27 1y

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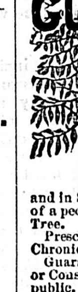

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MUNICIPAL.

NOTICE.

FROM AND AFTER THURSDAY, THE 18TH instant, Fort Street will be CLOSED from Cook to Moss Street for repairs.

JAMES D. ROBINSON, C. M. C.

City Hall, 17th Nov., 1886. no18

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ALL PACKAGES OR PARCELS FOR TRANSportation over this Railway not exceeding 50 lbs. in weight nor measuring more than three cubic feet, will be received and receipted for at Messrs. HARRISON & McLACHLAN'S office, on Government street, next door to Bank of B.C. no5

MUNICIPAL ROAD TAX.

THIS TAX OF TWO DOLLARS UPON THOSE Citizens not assessed for Real Estate in this city, is now due and payable to

no12 2w K BULL.

REMOVAL.

M. LENZ,

DEALER IN

WHOLESALE DRY GOODS,

ETC., ETC., ETC.

HAS REMOVED TO THE

Southgate Block, cor. Government and Fort sts.

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NOTICES.

NOTICE.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, GIVE NOTICE that we intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase six hundred and forty acres (each) of land within a block situate on the Yakoun River, Graham Island, Queen Charlotte District, described as follows:—Commencing at the north-west corner of the Yakoun Coal Mining Company's land, as described in Prospecting License No. 14, dated the 20th day of May, 1886, at post B; thence running due east 140 chains; thence due north 140 chains; thence due west 140 chains; thence due south 140 chains to point of commencement.

J. S. HELMCKEN,
R. H. HALL,
WM. CHARLES,
CHAS. W. C. CLIFFORD.

Yakoun River, Queen Charlotte Island,
30th September, 1886. no20 2m

NOTICE.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, GIVE NOTICE that we intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres (each) of land within a block situate on the Yakoun River, Graham Island, Queen Charlotte District, described as follows:—Commencing at the south-west corner of the Yakoun Coal Mining Company's land as described in Prospecting License No.14, dated 20th day of May, 1886, at post E; thence running due east 140 chains; thence due south 140 chains; thence due west 140 chains; thence due north 140 chains to point of commencement at point E.

H. S. MASON,
H. G LEWIS,
ALEX. MACKENZIE,
JAMES BURNS.

Yakoun River, Queen Charlotte Island,
20th September, 1886. no20 2m

NOTICE.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, INTEND MAKING application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to lease, for the purpose of cutting timber, (1430 acres) one thousand four hundred and thirty acres of land situated near Malaspina Strait, in New Westminster District, and described as follows:—Commencing at a post distant 162 chains 50 links true east from the northwest post of our timber lease No. 13; thence true east 145 chains; thence true south 125 chains, to the northern boundary of lease No. 13; thence true west 75 chains; thence true north 55 chains; thence true west 70 chains; thence true north 70 chains, to the place of beginning.

MOODYVILLE SAWMILL CO (Limited.)
B. SPRINGER, Manager.

Burrard Inlet, 10th Nov., 1886. no17 2m

BRITISH COLUMBIA MILLING AND MINING CO. (LIMITED.)

ASSESSMENT NO. 9.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN ASsessment of one cent per share has been levied upon the members of the above Company, payable at the Company's office, Langley street, Victoria.

The stock on which the above assessment remains unpaid after the first day of December next shall, from and after that date, be deemed delinquent.

Dated 12th November, 1886.

By order of the Directors.

GEO. A. SARGISON,
no13 Secretary.

NOTICE.

THE OFFICE OF THE BRITISH COLUMBIA Milling and Mining Company (Limited) is removed to the "Langley Arcade," Langley street, Victoria.

GEO. A. SARGISON,
no7 Secretary.

NOTICE.

ESTATE OF SIGISMUND LOWENBERG, DECEASED.

ALL PERSONS WHO ARE INDEBTED TO THE above estate are required to pay the amounts due forthwith; and all persons who have any claims against the said estate are required to forward the same, on or before the 15th day of December, 1886, to MR. DENNIS R. HARRIS, Or MR. JULIUS ENGELHARDT,

The Executors.

Victoria, Nov. 4th, 1886. no5

NOTICE

THE UNDERSIGNED GIVES NOTICE THAT he intends to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase two islands, named Dayman and Hudson, respectively, containing about 40 acres, situated to the south of Treedy Harbor, Thetis Island, Cowichan District. HENRY SEVERNE.

October 25th, 1886. oc27

WE HEREBY GIVE NOTICE

THAT WE INTEND TO APPLY TO THE HON. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase 160 acres of Pastoral Land; beginning at A. Gilmore's S. W. corner, near Mouth of Goldstream; thence south 40 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence east 40 chains, to place of beginning.

C. E. PERRY,
R. C. CRIDGE.

Victoria, 2nd Oct., 1886. oc3-2m

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE

THAT I INTEND TO APPLY TO THE HON. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase a tract of Pastoral Land, described as follows: Commencing at S. W. corner of A. Gilmore's purchase, near mouth of Goldstream; thence south 60.20 chains; thence east 25.80 chains; thence north 60 20 chains; thence west 25.80 chains, to place of beginning, containing 160 acres, more or less. J. W. McLEOD.

Victoria, B.C., 2nd Oct., 1886. oc3-2m

ESTATE OF JOHN CRASWELL, DECEASED

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST the estate of the late John Craswell are hereby notified to render them on or before the first of December next. C. D. RAND,

Administrator.

Victoria, Oct. 29, 1886. oc30td

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of land, situate on the east side of Lower Columbia Lake, near Windermere. Commencing at a stake 7.80 chains west of G. H. Johnston's northeast post; thence north 40 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence east 40 chains to initial point.

A. W. VOWELL.

Windermere, 1st Oct., 1886. oc19 2m

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND applying to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following lands in the Osoyoos division of Yale District, viz.: Vacant portions of sections 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 22, 23, 26, 27, 33 and 34, township 49, section 4 township 51; east half of sections 24, 25 and 26, township 55. J. C. HAYNES

Victoria, B. C., 30th September, 1886. 1oct2m

NOTICE.

THE SHUSWAP AND OKONAGAN RAILWAY CO'Y.

TAKE NOTICE THAT A GENERAL MEETING of the subscribers to the capital stock of the Company will be held at the office of Messrs. Davie & Pooley, Langley street, Victoria, on SATURDAY, the 27th day of November next, at 12 o'clock, noon.

By order of the Provisional Directors of the Company.

M. LUMBY,
Acting Secretary.

Dated 27th day of October, 1886. oc28

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING DISPOSED OF his plant and goodwill in *The Colonist* newspaper and Higgins Lithographic and Cigar Box Co. would respectfully request all parties indebted to him to at once settle with ELLIS & CO., his successors, who are authorized to receive all payments.

D. W. HIGGINS.

Victoria, Oct. 16th, 1886. oc19

NOTICE

I INTEND APPLYING TO THE CHIEF COMmissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 320 acres of land in the Osoyoos Division of Yale District, situated about two miles north-east from the foot of "Swan Lake"—one of the Okanagan chain—and on a creek running into the Okanagan river, about one mile from Phillips' ranch.

J. C. HAYNES

Victoria, B.C., 4th Oct., 1886. oc5

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